

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1178

Approved by the Governor March 12, 1990

Introduced by Business and Labor Committee,
Coordsen, 32, Chairperson; Hefner, 19;
Korshoj, 16; Chambers, 11; Morrissey, 1;
Lindsay, 9; Pirsch, 10

AN ACT relating to labor; to amend section 48-1232, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1989; to change provisions relating to claims and judgments against an employer by an employee; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 48-1232, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1989, be amended to read as follows:

48-1232. If an employee establishes a claim and secures judgment on such claim under section 48-1231: ~~(1) An amount equal to the judgment shall~~ may be recovered from the employer; or (2) if ~~if~~ the nonpayment of wages is found to be willful, an amount equal to two times the amount of unpaid wages shall be recovered from the employer. ~~Such amount~~ Any amount recovered pursuant to subdivision (1) or (2) of this section shall be placed in a fund to be distributed to the common schools of this state.

Sec. 2. That original section 48-1232, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1989, is repealed.